

**Fourth 2010-2011 STUCO Meeting**

11-1-10

Presiding Officer: Rosten Hamman

**Members Present:**

Garrett Penn  
Tiffany Christensen  
Hope Swanson  
Rebecca Brandt  
Taylor Cary

Faith Anderson  
Sarah Fish  
Kirsten Yoder  
Alex Tsikouris

Jacob Busscher  
Alik Hall  
Katrina Wheeler  
Cassie Castor

**Members at Large:** 1 Dorm Representative, Spiritual Life, Olivia Johanan, DaVonne Harris, Nathan Rasbaugh

**I. Alex motioned to open the meeting, Hope seconded, and the meeting was opened at 9:06.**

**II. Rosten opened in prayer.**

**III. Cassie motioned to approve the minutes, Rebecca seconded, and the motion was carried unanimously.**

**IV. Underclass Council**

A. No updates

**V. Upperclass Council**

A. Junior/Senior Banquet

B. Save the toaster

1. Katrina is going to talk to Jim

C. Talent show for fundraiser

**VI. MERT**

A. Not present

**VII. Spiritual Life**

A. Not present

### **VIII. Social Life**

- A. Inception this Friday at Dollar Theater
- B. Hog Wild went well

### **IX. Dorm Representatives**

- A. No updates

### **X. Media Committee**

- A. Not present

### **XI. Students for Life Club Request**

- A. Promoting awareness (i.e. movies, events)
- B. Advocacy (i.e. praying at abortion clinics)
- C. Action (i.e. helping with baby showers, volunteering)
- D. Meet & Pray, but act as well
- E. 21 Members
- F. Cassie- Name of affiliated organization?
- G. Students for Life national organization
- H. Cristian- Possibility of branching out for other areas of protecting life (i.e. capital punishment, euthanasia)?
- I. Students for Life focus on pro-life issues, but would pray for other issues
- J. Rosten- Want club to continue after leaders are gone
- K. Rick Becker, Sally Erdel, and Brother Tim are faculty advisors
- L. Rebecca- How often would events occur?
- M. Once a month, plan to meet every other week
- N. Alex- Where would you get funds?
- O. Fundraisers or from STUCO

- P. Taylor- Great idea!
- Q. Faith- Faculty is involved which will help.
- R. Sarah- Was at the meeting. Many of the students already volunteer.
- S. Garrett- They need to do something, rather than just promote awareness.
- T. Taylor- This issue is closer to home than many other club issues.
- U. Delaney- This is a political issue.
- V. Rosten- People who have abortions often feel judged.
- W. Cassie- They shouldn't be protesting or making hate comments.
- X. Kirsten- They're probably just praying, and that's fine.
- Y. Sarah- They're not meaning to be negative, but to pray and help where they can.
- Z. Alik- If they stay within their set parameters, we should support them.
- AA. Rebecca- We should set specific parameters.
- BB. Alik- Only intercession should be made through prayer without confrontation.
- CC. Alex motioned to approved Students for Life as an official club, Sarah seconded, Cassie called the question, and the motion was carried unanimously.

## **XII. LINK Fund Request**

- A. Last Thursday documentary
- B. LINK's headquarters sent representatives
- C. Honorarium of food and gas
- D. Asking \$100
- E. Forty people came to the documentary
- F. Hope- Did you know you'd have to pay them?
- G. Yes.
- H. Josh- Will future documentaries incur equal costs?
- I. Yes.

- J. \$500 is currently set aside for clubs.
- K. Tiffany- They had a good turn-out and there meetings are usually very good. Recently, they had students write to their congressmen.
- L. Delaney- What is the money for?
- M. Food & gas for the speakers
- N. Rosten- LINK stepped up and helped out at the concert.
- O. Cristian- It would be good to have policies concerning which groups should be prioritized.
- P. Alex- Have they tried to raise money?
- Q. Cassie- Probably not.
- R. Kirsten- What we give them reflects the college.
- S. Alik- We should consider giving them part of their request, rather than a 5<sup>th</sup> of our budget.
- T. Delaney- Could we give \$50?
- U. Kirsten- \$50 sounds good.
- V. Katrina- Encourage fundraisers for their next event.
- W. Josh- \$50 is appropriate.
- X. Alik motioned to give them \$50 with a recommendation to fundraise, Rebecca seconded, Cassie called the question, and the motion was carried unanimously.

### **XIII. Powder Puff Request**

- A. Wanted \$450 for shirts
- B. Executive council brought request for \$250 to the entire council
- C. Logo was not on the shirt
- D. Mistake with the shirt printing
- E. Alik- Could we cut down the request?
- F. Cassie- The request came in very late.

G. Eric- Recommend tabling.

H. Cassie motioned to table the request until the next meeting, Alex seconded, Katrina called the question, and the motion was carried unanimously.

#### **XIV. Club Discussion**

A. Filling out forms on clubs

B. Hierarchy of clubs

C. Discussion for another day

#### **XV. Christmas Party**

A. Rosten has been talking to Perimeter & Lodge RAs.

1. They agree to decorate & prep.

2. We will give them the decorations we have & they will do their thing.

B. Decorating Committee

1. -Sarah

C. Food Committee

1. -Tiffany

D. Game Committee

1. -Hope

E. Delaney- Bring donation or gift for charity, not a requirement

F. Faith- Toys for Tots can be expensive

G. Garrett- Will bring karaoke machine

#### **XVI. Fundraiser Checks**

A. Eric has 145, and if we can't sell them, we give them back.

B. Cost- \$5, Profit- \$5

C. Delaney- Sounds great

- D. Alex- You can get your money back in two purchases.
- E. Rosten- A bar is included, but the discount is not on alcohol.
- F. Eric- No risk. Offer to clubs.

**XVII. Battle of the Bands**

- A. Pageant has been lame for many years.
- B. This year want to get rid of class videos.
- C. Underclass discussed having a two-stage procedure.
  - 1. Hold auditions (screening)
  - 2. Few will pass and play at the Battle
- D. Half of the band members must be Bethel students
- E. Hope & Alex will help with the pageant.

**XVIII. Christmas Music**

- A. Sarah will talk to Bob Ham about Bethel Choir
- B. Bring cds before Thanksgiving

**XIX. Dinner with Trustees**

- A. Thursday at 6 in President's Room
- B. People who did not sign up may still go

**XX. Bring back STAFF shirts**

**XXI. Alik will talk to maintenance about getting more trash cans.**

**XXII. Cassie motioned to close the meeting, Josh & Hope seconded, and the motion was carried unanimously.**

**XXIII. Taylor closed in prayer.**